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## The Baltic Provinces

LONDON, Jan. 7.—A scheme for financing trading with the Baltic Provinces of Estonia and Latvia has been completed after prolonged negotiations. The plan provides for the establishment of partnership of the Government with a bank generally modelled after the bank of England with provisions for a new issue of currency based on gold standard and the restoration of debased currency by sound scientific process of currency reform.

## U. S. A. Railroads

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The Senate and House conferring today on the Railroad Bill, agreed upon \$200,000,000 as the amount of the revolving fund from which carriers would be permitted to borrow to tide themselves over the period immediately following their return to private operation.

## Bible Students Will Be Given New Trial

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Eight officials and employees of the International Bible Students' Association who were convicted under the Espionage Law in June 1918, and later freed when the United States Circuit Court granted them a new trial will be tried again, Leroy Ross, United States Attorney announced.

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## Another Fight

PARIS, Jan. 7.—Descamps, manager for Georges Carpentier, wired James Coffey, manager of Tinjuna Race Track, last evening, accepting the latter's terms for the championship bout between Carpentier and Dempsey in America. The decision to accept Coffey's offer of a four hundred thousand dollar purse came after long consultation with the French promoters in which the latter expressed their inability to meet the offer of the American.

## England's Railwaymen

LONDON, Jan. 7.—Delegates of union of railway men who met here to-day to consider the proposition of the Government with regard to a settlement of the wage demands of the workers in the lower grades adjourned until to-morrow without reaching any decision.

## Sir E. Barton Dead

LONDON, Jan. 7.—Sir Edmond Barton, former Premier of Australia, died at Sydney, New South Wales, Sunday, according to advices received here to-day.

## The Prince of Wales

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The Prince of Wales will dine next Monday at the Canada Club at a gathering the largest in the Club's long history. The guests will include, Prince Albert, Earl of Athlone, Lord Chief Justice, and General Lord Byng.

## BOLSHEVIKS MAKE NEW PEACE OFFER TO ALLIED POWERS

America Will Not Ask for Interest on War Loans Just Now--Thirty Million Deaths in Russia by Famine in 3 Years--U. S. A. Will Not be Present at Signing of Protocol.

### Bolshevik Terms

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 7.—Nikolai Lenin, Russian Bolshevik Premier, has made a new peace offer to the Allied Powers which is being taken to London by Colonel Talents, British representative in the Baltic States. Among other conditions included in the offer by Lenin is the promise to abolish terrorism and the activities of revolutionary tribunals, according to Estonian newspapers.

### SENSATIONAL CASE AT LOS ANGELES

A sensational trial, which has excited national interest, was started in Judge Craig's court on Tuesday. The defendant is Harry New, reputed illegitimate son of Senator New of Indiana, who has, it is stated, contributed to the defence of New. His mother lives here and is fighting for the defence of her son.

New is on trial for the shooting and killing of a stenographer, to whom he was engaged to be married, Freda Lesser, on last July 4th. He called for her at her mother's home about 5 o'clock p.m., and, according to the story he told, they drove nearly one hundred miles. When they returned to the vicinity of Los Angeles, New confessed he shot her, and drove with his dead sweetheart to the police station, and then he declared he had shot her and she was outside in the automobile. Now the lawyers for the defence claim that New was not sane, nor ever has been normal; that he did not murder her, but in trying to prevent her from killing herself the pistol exploded and caused her death.

No particular amount of worldly wealth handed over to charities has been noted as a result of that end-of-the-world scare.

### The Unjust Interest

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The United States will not demand payment of interest accruing in loans to Allied Powers, but will fund this into a period of years until the European financial conditions are normal again. The Ways and Means Committee will point out through Secretary of the Treasury Glass that the interest on American loans to Europe now amounts to more than \$40,000,000, and payment of this is impossible under present conditions in Europe and with the present rate of exchange.

### Sinn Fein Raided

DUBLIN, Jan. 7.—The Sinn Fein headquarters in this city were raided this morning by a big force of police and soldiers. The raiders also entered the offices of the Irish Parliament and those of the New Ireland Assurance Society.

### DYE OLD, FADED DRESS MATERIAL

"Diamond Dyes" Turn Old, Faded, Shabby Apparel Into New

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The Direction Book with each package tells so plainly how to diamond dye over any color that you can not make a mistake.

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### 30 Million Die

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Thirty million men, women and children have died in Russia from famine and disease during the last three years.

### U.S.A. Will Not Be At Peace Signing

PARIS, Jan. 7.—Representatives of the United States, it has been decided, will not be present during the exchange of ratifications of the peace treaty of Versailles which is still set for January 10, but may be put over if all the details have not been completed by that date. The signing of the peace protocol will precede the exchange of ratifications by a few minutes.

### Mine Workers Agree

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Jan. 7.—The United mine workers of the American Convention to-day ratified the action of the international officers in accepting President Wilson's proposal to end the coal strike on a fourteen per cent. increase basis and a commission to draw up a new wage agreement.

### An Arabian State

PARIS, Jan. 7.—Prince Feisal, son of the King of Hedjaz, left Paris to-day. The Temps says it is informed that the negotiations of Prince Feisal with the French Government resulted in complete accord by which the Prince admits the formation of an Arabian State to include Damascus, Aleppo, Homs and Hamah, under the administration of Prince Feisal with the assistance of French officials.

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## Thousand Lives Lost

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 7.—Hundreds, possibly thousands, of lives were lost as a result of the earthquake which shook the State of Vera Cruz on Saturday night. So widespread was the damage done by the shock and so wild are some of the sections that suffered that it is probable the number of casualties will never be known.

## The German Army

BERLIN, Jan. 7.—The German army which numbered 280,000 men on January 1, will be reduced monthly so that by April the strength laid down by the peace treaty will be attained, it was announced today. Short service volunteers will be disbanded completely three months after the treaty becomes effective.

## Hungary Delegation

PARIS, Jan. 7.—The Hungarian Peace Delegation numbering about sixty persons and headed by Count Apovni, arrived this morning by special train. It was conducted at once to Chateau Madrid Neuilly where it will stay during its sojourn in Paris.

## What's Up Now?

PARIS, Jan. 7.—Prince August and Prince Joachim, sons of former Emperor William of Germany, have brought suit for divorce, according to Berlin advices to the Matin.

## A MESSAGE FROM THE FAR NORTH

Rev. H. Girling, Brings To Maritime Story of Remarkable Work Among The Eskimoes—First Dictionary of Their Language Being Printed

ST. JOHN, Dec. 27.—A thrilling message from the far-flung north of Canada, the uttermost point of the barren Arctic coast, is contained in an interview today with Rev. H. Girling, Anglican missionary. He landed here yesterday after a visit to his old home in England and will remain in this country for the next three months speaking in the interests of the Forward Missionary Movement. He will then return to England for a while before going back to his dreary post in Bernard Harbor, Coronation Gulf, N. W. T., where he ministers to a "parish" twice the size of Great Britain.

One of Rev. Mr. Girling's assistants, G. Eldon Merritt, a St. John man, is at present on duty alone in the Arctic mission.

The missionaries have progressed greatly in translating religious and other literature for the people, said Mr. Girling. A school is now under consideration and the lives of the people are vastly changed, with an improvement in all directions. While in England, Mr. Girling had seen to the printing of a dictionary of the Eskimo language, the first in existence, consisting of more than 15,000 words, and he had also had a translation of the Gospel of St. Mark made in that tongue. He saw the people seemed eager to learn and their morals had improved.

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## Radicals Are Working

LONDON, Jan. 7.—Bolshevik agitators in this country are working energetically along lines similar to those projected by Radicals in America, namely the overthrow of Government and the establishment of Soviet form of Government.

## Bolshevik Success

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The Bolsheviks have occupied Taganrog in the territory of the Don Cossacks on the North Shore of the Sea of Azov.

## Electoral District of St. John's Western Division.

To Wit:

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the electors of the electoral district aforesaid, that in obedience to His Majesty's Writ to me directed and bearing date the third day of January, 1920, I require the presence of the said electors at the Industrial Twine Factory off Hamilton Street, in the district of St. John's, Western Division on the twelfth day of January, from ten a.m. until two of the clock in the afternoon for the purpose of nominating two persons to represent them in the General Assembly of Newfoundland; and that in case a poll be demanded and allowed in the manner by law prescribed, such poll will be opened on the twenty-second day of January in the year 1920, from the hour of eight in the morning till eight of the clock in the afternoon, in each of the polling sections fixed by the proclamation of His Excellency, dated twenty ninth day of December, 1919.

And further, that at the above named factory I shall open the ballot boxes, count the votes given for the several candidates and return as elected the two having the majority of votes, of which all persons are hereby to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Given under my hand at St. John's this seventh day of January in the year 1920.

F. J. DOYLE,  
Returning Officer.

thurs, fri, sat, mon

## Notice!

Schooner owners are notified that vessels anchored in the vicinity of the Dry Dock should they receive any damage by vessels entering or leaving the dock that the owners of such vessels will not be recompensed.

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Harbour Master.

## FIVE DOLLARS A MILE IS REWARD FOR HISTORY MAKING TRIP

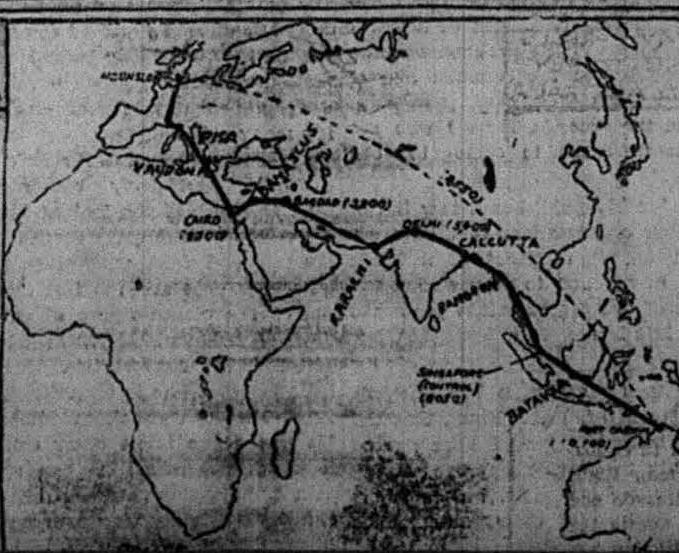


THE VICKERS CREW. (LEFT TO RIGHT) SERGT. W.H. SHIERS, LIEUT. K.M. SMITH, CAPT. ROSS SMITH and SERGT. J.M. BENNETT



VICKERS-VIMY-ROLLS FIRST AIRPLANE TO FLY FROM ENGLAND TO AUSTRALIA

Of the four entrants in the race for the \$50,000 offered by the Australian Government for the first airplane flight from England to Australia the Vickers Vimy Rolls, with Captain Ross Smith in command, was the second to leave England, and arrived at Port Darwin within a month's time, as it was stipulated the flight be completed within one month. He left Hounslow, England, November 12, and his arrival in Australia was "in the nick of time." The other three machines entered for the long flight were a Sopwith, a Martinsyde and an Alliance. The map shows the route followed by the winning plane.



## All-Wool English Hosiery

All-Wool Hosiery has been practically unobtainable in the past four years, and it is with considerable satisfaction that we announce the arrival of a shipment. These goods are of the famous St. Margaret make, a name that is synonymous with Quality and Comfort.

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| Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose, 2 and 1 rib | \$1.20 to \$2.60 |
| Ladies' Black Cashmere, 4 and 1 rib      | \$1.90           |
| Ladies' Black Cashmere, Plain            | \$2.30, \$2.60   |
| Men's Black Cashmere Half-Hose           | \$1.40, \$2.30   |
| Men's Black Heavy Ribbed Half-Hose       | \$2.00           |
| Men's Tan Cashmere Half-Hose             | \$1.40           |
| Men's Fawn Wool Half-Hose                | \$1.50           |
| Men's Heather Mixture Half-Hose          | \$1.50, \$2.00   |

We also draw attention to a new line of Dress Goods, consisting of Black Shadow-Stripe Taffeta, Roxana, Permo, Venetian Cloth Airline, Coloured Sicilian, Gaberdine, Serges (Soap Shrink), Donegal Tweeds, Cheviot Tweeds, Natty and Black Serges, etc.

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## NOTICE TO EX SERVICE MEN.

With the return of the dark evenings it has been arranged to open the Night School for the Winter months, beginning on Monday, October 6th.

The Night School will be in session from 8 o'clock to 9.30 every Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday night until further notice.

All ex-service men are entitled to free tuition in the Night School.

This affords a splendid opportunity to men who are at work during the day to fit themselves by education in their special line for promotion.

All applications for admission should be made to the Vocational Officer, Oct 3 to 10, then Throny

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To offer that you won't strike everywhere, and still have some to-day, despite the ever advancing American Market and the extra Ten Per Cent. Exchange we are "soaked" for the privilege of paying them our good coin.

### Floor Coverings. "Congoleum"

2 yards wide. The best of the American Floor Cloths. Special Price, \$1.89 yard.

### Men's Overcoats.

BEST AMER. TWEED COATS — Unlined, but heavy, and tailor finished. Regular \$25.00 for \$17.50, (just to turn the stock into money.) TRENCH COATS — Values a surprise to everybody, only \$15.00, \$20.00 and upwards.

### Blankets

COTTON BLANKETS — From \$2.69 pair only. WOOL NAP BLANKETS — Full sizes at \$6.90 and \$7.70 pair. WOOL BLANKETS — At very lowest prices.

### Flannels & Flitts.

STRIPED FLANNEL-LETTES — At 37 and 39c yard. WHITE WELSH FLANNELS. (Pure) WHITE SAXONY FLANNELS. RED FLANNELS.

## Some Late Arrivals in Ladies' Wear.

### Millinery Dept.

BLACK and COLOURED VELVETS. TAFFETA SILK RIBBONS. BLACK, FANCY, and MOURNING and WHITE and COLOURED VEILINGS. BLACK TULLES.

### Skirts and Dresses

MOIRE UNDERSKIRTS — In Black and Coloured, from \$2.70 each. COSTUME SKIRTS — In Serges, Poplins, etc. SILK DRESSES — In the newest styles.

### Corsets

We now have the most complete range of CORSETS we have had for a long while. This includes shipments of our famous "W.B." and other Corsets from \$1.65 pair, also a range of Misses' and Children's Corsets and Bands. We have a range of Ladies' Corsets at 75c. pair only, but not in all sizes.

### Handkerchiefs

Splendid assortment of LADIES' WHITE EMBROIDERED HANDKERCHIEFS — At 8c, 17c, 20c. and 25c. and upwards.

HANDKERCHIEF BOXES — In various styles.

# Henry Blair

## SCOTTISH HONORS REWARD FOR SERVICES IN WORLD WAR



BESTOWAL OF PEACE HONORS AT GLASGOW

The University of Glasgow bestowed honors upon a number of distinguished ladies and gentlemen for services rendered to the country during the great war. The undergraduates attended the ceremony in considerable force and made their presence felt in the usual way. They cheered and sang with much gusto. The picture to the right shows Mr. Davies, American Ambassador, being "chaired" by the students. The picture above shows, left to right: Principal Sir Donald MacAllister, the Duchess of Atholl, Dowager Countess of Eglinton and Winton, Mr. Davies, Sir Henry J. Newbolt, Commandant Dame Cynne Vaughan, G. B. E., D. S. O., F. L.; Sir Joseph Maclay, and Lord Weir.



BESTOWING PEACE HONORS AT GLASGOW SPECIAL N.Y.H. PHOTO

## A TARIFF BOARD

Containing that "the fiscal policy is of the greatest importance to workers throughout the Dominion." The Canadian Railroad Weekly, of Dec. 6, continues its campaign for a Tariff Board. Such a Commission, it says, is needed in the interests of Canadian workers, of small manufacturers, and of producers who are combining new and old processes of production. "It is the small manufacturer the workman desires to expand and develop, because expansion carries with it a greater employment of labor where the personal touch is not lost in the magnitude of the enterprise."

"The flexibility of the proposed Tariff Board," The Canadian Railroad Weekly contends, "is another important point greatly in its favor. If it is found upon investigation that the protective tariff now given industries is fashioning a monopoly the board can recommend a reduction. If on the contrary, it is found that some of the smaller industries need a greater measure of protection in order to prosper and expand, and employ a greater number of Canadian workmen, then the board can recommend a greater measure of protection."

"It is very evident from the resolutions that are pouring in from all parts of the Dominion that the sentiment in favor of the establishment of this board is exceedingly strong. It is quite apparent, at this time, that both the employee and the employer and even the general public are solidly supporting the idea."

"There is no parallel in the history of Canadian industrialism in which the great groups have come together in support of an idea of so far-reaching national and perhaps international importance. If we could all see eye to eye, as we evidently have done on this vexatious problem, is it not a strong argument that we may yet be able to understand one another sufficiently well to grapple successfully with all the great important problems which loom before us?"

"If, after years and years of wrangling, we have been able to meet on a common ground on the question of the establishment of a Tariff Board, where is the problem that we cannot solve in the common aim of all to build a wonderful, a peaceful and happy Canada for all who are fortunate enough to come to our shores?"

The Weekly publishes a new list of 123 labor organizations that have endorsed the appointment of a Tariff Board in addition to reproducing the names of 181 organizations published in its last issue.

The Servant Famine has become so acute in St. Paul, Minn., that the wives of wealthy men have agreed not only to provide improved living quarters for the girls, but to allow them the use of their automobiles once or twice a week.

## Drummond—Secy.—Gen. of the League

"The world knows nothing of some of its most brilliant men. A week or two ago ninety-nine Britons in every hundred would have stared at you blankly and would have asked 'Who is he?' had you mentioned the name Sir Eric Drummond to them. But the hundredth man, the man who may have a fleeting glimpse of scenes, would have said, 'Ah! Eric Drummond. That is a man who knows things and does things. There is a great future ahead of that man.'"

When President Wilson arose in the Committee of the League of Nations and proposed that Sir Eric should become the first Secretary-General of the League he was passing no idle compliment to British diplomacy. He knew that the League was in front of it a path set with intricacies and dangers which the lay mind is unable fully to visualize.

The President had no desire to jeopardize the future of the League for a sake of a compliment. He simply proposed the best man for the job. (The President himself has said he knows as much about the League and the problems confronting it as he does himself.)

Sir Eric and Lord Robert Cecil, who have long been almost inseparable companions, have had more to do with the actual drafting of the League Covenant than anyone else at the Conference, and in the course of this work they have come into very close contact with President Wilson. Mutual respect has quickly ripened into warm regard. Incidentally, Mr. Wilson was surprised to find that Sir Eric Drummond possesses an astonishing complete knowledge of the constitutional law and customs of the United States. He did not know before he arrived in Paris that for some years Drummond had been the recognized authority in the Foreign Office to be consulted by all on American affairs.

Sir Eric's activities at the Conference have by no means been only those of a foster-parent to the League. As political private secretary he has been a continual tower of strength to Mr. Balfour. He has, indeed, a flair for international politics which has stood his country in good stead during many crises.

Yet do not imagine Sir Eric as a diplomat exclusively immersed in high politics. If you look at him you see a man in the early forties, about the middle height, with alert, rather humorous eyes and the fine features, and well-groomed figure of a clean-bred Englishman. If you talk to him you find his conversation does not belie his eyes—he is exceedingly witty and a most excellent companion. He has—there is no other word for it—a fresh mind; he can sparkle at a dinner-party as effectively as he can draft a treaty clause. And he is immensely popular with all who

retary to the Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, and was afterwards a press writer to the Secretary of State. He received the K.C.M.G. in 1916.

Sir Eric is half-brother and heir presumptive of the Earl of Perth, and in 1904 he married the Hon. Angela Constable-Maxwell, youngest daughter of Lord Herries.

## Dog By Mail!

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—Even a pup may need a change of climate. And a long train journey might be particularly pleasant to him, especially if the children at home are petting him against the grain or have worn him ragged tying robins to his tail. Of course it is expensive to give him the vacation at tourist rates. But he might be sent through the mail by parcel post. Perhaps by sticking a stamp on his ear or tail he could go most anywhere. Now just such a thing did happen

up at Winters, Cal. Up there a mongrel pup was slipped into the mails and reached Elmer Crews in Bayfort, Trinity county, 220 miles away.

The dog was recognized as first-class mail for three days, but enjoyed all the privileges of livestock. He was fed, watered and petted the entire distance.

According to the regulations pups either travel in baggage cars or ladies' laps, the mails being reserved for queen bees and day-old chicks.

His fare was thirty-five cents in postage.

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## "What About This Nerve Food Doctor?"

"It is all right." "Would it do for me to take it?" "I cannot see any objection."

"Well, I know so many women who are using it to good advantage that I decided to give it a trial."

"Then why ask me about it?" "Just because you know my condition, and I felt that I would like your opinion."

"Of course, you know that we doctors are supposed to be prejudiced against all package medicines. As a matter of fact, nearly all the best medicines on the market are the prescription of doctors and first made their merits known in some doctor's private practice."

"There is scarcely a day but I see Dr. Chase's Nerve Food in the homes I visit, and to be perfectly candid I know of many instances in which this treatment has brought about really remarkable cures."

"Then you think it suits my case?"

"Undoubtedly. Your blood is thin and watery. You are anaemic. The nerve cells are starved. Hence the neuralgic pains, the nervousness and irritability, the sleepless-

ness. The medicine I gave you does not seem to be exactly what you need. The Nerve Food may be just what is required to get your blood and nerves in good condition."

"One thing certain, doctor, it has been a wonderful benefit to several people I know."

"If the conditions are similar in your case there can be no better proof that it will benefit you. After all it is cure we are after, and while every doctor has his own favorite prescriptions, it is results that count."

"Thank you, doctor, I am glad to have your approval and I am going to start in with Dr. Chase's Nerve Food with the determination to give it a good honest trial."

"Good, that is what our medicines do not always get. I would suggest that you follow up this treatment for at least a month or two, and then you will be in a position to know just what benefit you are obtaining. For it takes a little time and patience to restore an exhausted, nervous system."

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents a box, 6 for \$2.75, all dealers, or Edmanon, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Every box of the genuine bears the portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M.D., the famous Receipt Book author.



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### Does Bryan seek to Oust Wilson?

Conference of Democrats to be Held Shortly in Washington.

MONTREAL, Dec. 26—A despatch to the Gazette from Washington says: Wm. Jennings Bryan is coming here next week to confer with Democratic Senators on the peace treaty, and to participate in the meeting of the democratic national committee on January 8th. Friends of President Wilson, who have heard of these prospective activities, suggest that Mr. Bryan may be preparing to attempt to take the lead in democratic politics, and that this

the real purpose of the conference is to put him in a place of prominence in the party.

Some critics of Mr. Bryan go as far as to say that the commoner who resigned as secretary of state after a difference with the president over the German submarine notes, is attempting to gain leadership of the party from President Wilson.

Whether there is any truth in these reports, it is impossible to say at this time, because Mr. Bryan in his preliminary conferences here last week did not fully show his hand. Mr. Bryan is doing his utmost to influence speedy action of the treaty. His presence here after the holiday recess is expected to have some effect on the treaty situation in democratic politics, and that this

### SHIPPING NOTES

The Portia left Burin at 12.45 p.m. yesterday and is due to-night.

The s.s. Susu was at Greenspond at 7 a.m. to-day, bound North.

The s.s. Portia left Placentia at 11 a.m. yesterday and is due tonight.

The Marion L. Mason has cleared from Burin with 4112 qtls. of codfish from C. F. and W. Bishop for Oporto.

The s.s. Henry Clay, which put in here recently for repairs, sails again this morning for Antwerp.

The schooner Doris and Rita will load fish at Catalina for Oporto for A. H. Murray & Co.

The s.s. Rooke is undergoing repairs to her propeller at the wharf of the Furness Withy Co.

The schooner Stella sailed from Burgeo for Halifax yesterday with 1275 quintals codfish, shipped by R. Moulton, Ltd.

The s.s. Kamarina now at the dock wharf receiving repairs, will be finished by Monday next, when she will continue on her voyage to Halifax.

The General Currie cleared from Grand Bank yesterday for Oporto yesterday with 5250 quintals codfish shipped by S. Harris, Ltd.

### "SYRUP OF FIGS" CHILD'S LAXATIVE



Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious fruit taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear. Mother! You must say "California!"

The D. P. Incehman arrived at Harbor Grace at 3 p.m. yesterday with the vessel Gladys Street in tow. From there she will take in tow the new schooner Moneby to Catalina, and return to St. John's with the Elsie M. Corkum.

ADVERTISE IN THE ADVOCATE

### Canadian Steamer Has Fine Position Is Jammed In Ice

Spinner Drifting In St. Lawrence—No Hope For Recruit

QUEBEC, Dec. 26.—With her supply of coal quickly dwindling, with a broken rudder post and a crew of about thirty men made more than uneasy after her prolonged drifting and helplessness in the ice floes of the Lower St. Lawrence River, the Canadian Merchant Marine steamer Canadian Spinner today faced a real crisis and renewed efforts are being made by the authorities to get help to the vessel as quickly as possible. By wireless last evening the Spinner was reported off Matane, about eight miles off shore.

As for the Canadian Recruit, which grounded early this week on the Batture at Vache near Tadoussac, she is not expected to survive this winter.

The Canadian Merchant Marine still has three vessels at Quebec which were built during the summer in Canadian shipyards and which were expected to put to sea in the course of next week, Canadian Trapper, Canadian Rancher, and Canadian Planter. Those were to take on cargoes here for overseas, but orders came from Ottawa yesterday instructing the captains of these ships to winter here and not risk a trip under the present circumstances.

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Only Tablets with "Bayer Cross" are Aspirin—No others!



If you don't see the "Bayer Cross" on the tablets, refuse them—they are not Aspirin at all.

Your druggist gladly will give you the genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" because genuine Aspirin now is made by Americans and owned by an American Company.

There is not a cent's worth of German interest in Aspirin, all rights being purchased from the U. S. Government.

During the war, acid imitations were sold as Aspirin in pill boxes and various other containers. But now you can get genuine Aspirin, plainly stamped with the safety "Bayer Cross." Aspirin proved safe by millions for Headache, Toothache, Earache, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Colds, Neuritis, and Pain generally.

Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets—also larger "Bayer" packages. Aspirin is the trade mark (Newfoundland registration No. 781), of Bayer Manufacturing of Monacaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.

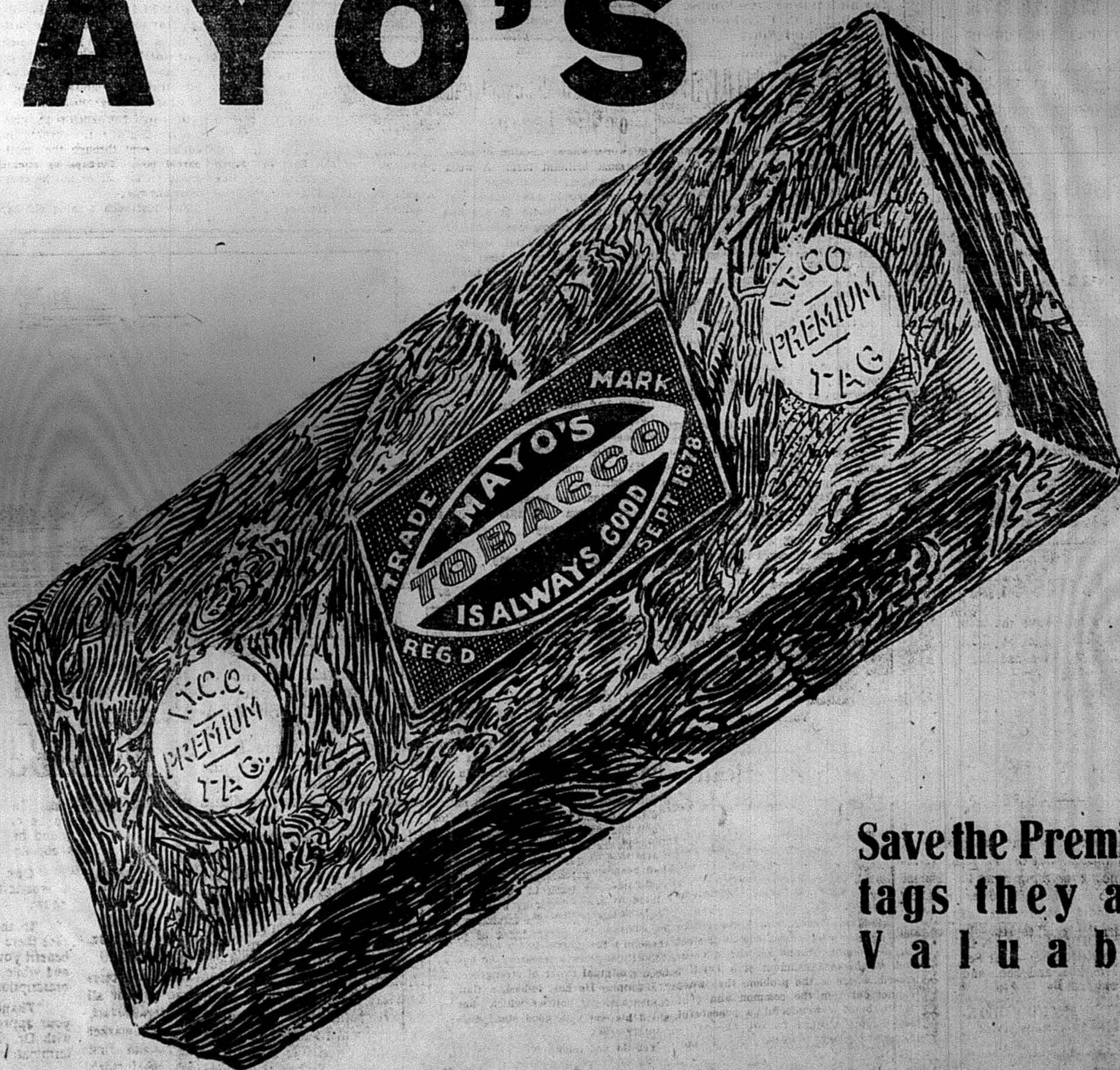
The Bayer Co., Inc., U.S.A.

The s.s. Diana sails for Change Islands this afternoon to load fish for Elliott & Co.

### KIPPERS! KIPPERS! KIPPERS!!

The real thing. Have you tried our delectable kippers? If not, you have never tasted a real kipper, for their equal has never been sold on this side of the Atlantic. We have had twenty years' experience in the kipper trade in Scotland, and ours is the real kipper—the most delicious and appetizing of all foods—try them fried for breakfast or tea—only one dollar per dozen—cash with order—try a dozen. After that your family will see that you order more. A. Flett & Co., Herring Curers, Curling, Newfoundland.—oct28,ed,1w

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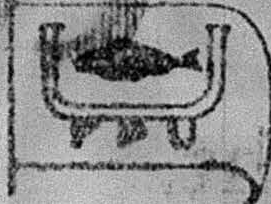
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ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND, THURSDAY, JANUARY 8th, 1920.

## The War Memorial!

The Patriotic Association last night adopted certain resolutions which came from a sub-committee of that body and a committee of the Great War Veterans' Association, relative to a War Memorial to perpetuate the memory of those who enlisted in the Great War and especially those who gave their lives. In another column these resolutions are given. We are not quite clear whether the statutory referred to is to be erected in the open or within the Memorial Hall of a proposed Normal and Technical Schools, though the Daily News hints at the latter idea.

We understand that the Memorial Monument is to be erected by public subscription, while the Government is to be asked to erect, equip and maintain the Memorial Building.

These Memorials will serve to mark Newfoundland's part in the great conflict; all are in accord that something should be attempted, and the resolutions show that those who favour monuments and those who favour a more utilitarian commemoration are both to be satisfied.

We are glad to note that each town which has contributed of its sons to the great cause, is also preparing tablets and statuary to their memory. In our opinion we think it most essential that these memorials in the Outports should be encouraged, and that no outport should be without its silent witness to its share to the cause of the Empire in the late war. The great majority, probably, of the people may never get an opportunity of seeing the War Memorial in St. John's, so that it becomes essential that, if these memorials are to mean anything to those who are left every outport should have one in one form or another. We offer these remarks in order that the Outports may not relax any efforts which are being put forth because of this War Memorial to be erected in St. John's. It is fitting, and it is desirable that every place in the island should have its war record indelibly marked, not only in the memories of its people, but in bronze, marble or other practical memorials.

## Mr. Bennett Must Resign

That the glaring exposures of the misdeeds of the Tories are doing their work is seen by the fact that the Tory papers have begun to hush about them and try in a half-hearted way to rebuke them. They even mention the "green peas" and the "plank" scandals, because they know these are doing their cause in the West End a great deal of injury. These papers say that the exposures are only made for political purposes! Exactly so! It is certainly good political stuff to show that the Tories, while in office, thought they owned the country forever and the day after, and so gave sops and contracts before to their friends, and generally played ducks and drakes with public monies!

And the people are getting educated every day in the knowledge of the millions that were wasted by the Tories during the past ten years. They see no reason why they should reverse the verdict of November, and in spite of the great King-pins of the Tories Higgins, Cashin, Crosbie, Bennett, Kean, the West End Election will find Squires and Brownrigg at the head of the poll by big majorities.

The prospect of higher flour, the increase in butterine are both laid at the door of the New Government. It is a curious thing, that these Tory newspapers did not view the big increases of the past in that light.

While the Tories were in power, butterine went up about 20 cents a pound, and flour ten dollars a barrel, but the Tory papers did not blame their Government! But now everything must be blamed on the Squires Government, which has only been in power a short while!

It is in fishy for anything, and nobody takes the hypocritical attitude of the Tories seriously.

What does concern the City is that Mr. Bennett and the Tories spent thirty or forty thousand dollars in November on election rites, when the money should have been given to the City Council to repair roads and bridges. This is going to be the cause of extra taxes, and the people are so enraged over the matter that Mr. Bennett is afraid to resign his seat and stand like a man beside his colleagues.

It is up to Mr. J. R. Bennett to prove himself a "sport." No public man has ever been placed in the position he finds himself to-day. He was elected in a three-cornered fight, and he himself says that he is not elected by a majority vote of the District, and therefore the people should be given another chance to choose their representatives. And if he does not resign, he proves himself a coward, and will have to face this taunt which will be thrown across the Assembly floors during the next four years, a taunt which will be invariably greeted

with cheers from the public.

If it is true that Linegar and Martin are sure of election as the Tory newspapers say, then surely Bennett would be elected too, but Bennett knows better and knows he would not be elected, and his action in not resigning is the convincing argument that the Tory candidates have not the slightest show on January 22nd.

Mr. Bennett has tried to explain the \$700.00 he was paid for work he said he did in the matter of Separation Allowances while Minister of Militia, but the explanation is not satisfactory.

The people cannot think why Mr. Bennett wanted to be cloaked in this transaction. The work was done by two soldiers and Mr. Bennett, the soldiers receiving \$650.00 each and Mr. Bennett \$700.00. If Mr. Bennett received more than his colleagues it would be supposed that he either did more work than the others, or was the head of this special Commission.

But it is shown that Mr. Bennett did not do more work than the others; in fact, by his own explanation, he must have done much less than his colleagues.

WHY THEN WAS THE CHEQUE FOR THE FULL AMOUNT OF \$2,000.00 MADE OUT TO ONE OF THE SOLDIERS, WHO IN TURN GAVE MR. BENNETT \$700.00?

Why did Mr. Bennett want to be hidden in this transaction? As head of the Militia Dept he must naturally have been head of this commission, but the two thousand dollar cheque was given to one of his subordinates, and the Minister of Militia, J. R. Bennett, was paid by the private cheque of that subordinate, the sum of \$700.00.

Why did Bennett hide behind a subordinate and receive at his hands \$700.00?

Work was done for the amount, but the point the people want explained is why each individual was not paid with a separate cheque.

The transaction is the same as if the Minister of Public Works or any other department, had the cheque for all the salaries of that department drawn in favour of the First Clerk, who would then deposit the cheque and by his own private cheque pay the hands in the office, including the Minister himself!! Mr. Bennett has not explained this roundabout way of payment for this Separation Allowance Commission, and it is one of the things which throw it up to him to resign and let the people of St. John's West deal with him in his record.

## "LITTLE GAFFNEY"

To the Editor

Dear Sir:—I notice that this man James MacDonnell who betrayed the electors of the District of Bay St. George has been from the Tories the price of his betrayal in the form of the editorship of the Evening Herald newspaper, a fitting position for a trimmer of his type.

I have seen a recent issue of this miserable sheet, the product of our "Little Gaffney" which, like the Plaindealer, is being thrown around the West End of the city in thousands, and I must confess that for low down demoralizing filth, nothing like it has been published in St. John's during the last quarter of a century.

If this fellow possessed enough of horse sense to realize what people think of him, he would buy a ticket, even though he had to borrow the cash and leave by the first foreign going boat, sailing after dark.

A visit to the District of St. George's would convince James how his sudden conversion to the cause of Toryism is accepted.

I have often questioned the principle of the "recall system" for members of the House who committed any outstanding political transgression against the interests of the people who elected them, but our "Little Gaffney" case illustrates the necessity of placing some means in the hands of electors to recall a person who has deceived and betrayed them, and who does not represent their political ideals and sentiments.

If the people of St. George's could deal with MacDonnell to-day he would never sit on the Tory side of the House of Assembly. Even those who supported Downey in the general election have nothing but contempt for this purchased political tool of the Tory grafters.

Yours truly,  
TRAVELLER.

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## G. W. V. A.

There will be a general meeting of the Great War Veterans' Association in the C. C. Hall Monday night, January 12th, at 8 o'clock.

All members are kindly requested to attend.

jan 8, 10, 12

P. A. BRIEN,  
Secretary-Treasurer.

## Splendid Canvass

SQUIRES AND BROWNRIFF WILL SWEEP ST. JOHN'S WEST—SECTARIAN FIRE BRANDS AND BOODLERS NOT WANTED

To the motto of the energetic men now canvassing the District of St. John's West in the interests of clean Government, and the slogan is supplemented by the electorate who welcomes them in the cry "The Boodlers are down and out." Last night teams of men commanded by energetic captains left the Liberal Reform Rooms, Botwood Hall, Hutchings Street, and scattering themselves over the District of St. John's West, continued the very successful canvass now in full swing in behalf of the popular twin Hons. R. A. Squires and H. J. Brownrigg. The Tories got a good trimming in the general election on November 3rd, but they will be whipped to a frazzle on the 22nd January, 1920. The incensed people of the District who have the measure of the grafters taken, will see to this. On every street canvassed the men who represent the Liberal Reform Party are received with welcome, and men and women too gladly promise to help to kill the efforts of the political pirates who formerly had charge to the country's great detriment, to reinstate themselves in power.

The electorate is well informed as to the wanton dissipation of the people's taxes, the squandering of hundreds of thousands of dollars in the bribing of the electorate in the general election, and the throwing away of millions in a few years on sops in the shape of contracts, bonuses, etc., for political parasites, while many poor working men's families suffered for the ordinary necessities of life. If the Tories and pseudo Labor candidate could hear the indignation of the people when the names of Linegar and Martin are spoken, the District of St. John's West would never be contested in the bye-election.

Everything points to a splendid success for Squires and Brownrigg, with vastly increased majorities over their record in November last. The reports brought back by the canvassers last night were, if possible, even better than the preceding night. The people are as a unit in favor of Squires and Brownrigg. The Tory organs take good care not to say a word about the prominent supporters who have deserted their ranks, but who are working for the Liberal Reform men, aye, several of them being the most energetic men on the canvass. Their spies, however, have reported and they are mad with anger because daily others are coming over to the cause of decent, honest Government.

When the canvassers came back with glowing reports last night, they were received by Hons. R. A. Squires, H. J. Brownrigg and Dr. Campbell, each of whom made short though eloquent addresses and highly complimented the teams upon the splendid result of the canvass to date. The canvass is certainly a "Victory Drive" and is being prosecuted with the vigor and thoroughness which characterized the house to house visits of November last, and which will have the same splendid result, victory sure, and certain for the exponents of popular Government, Squires and Brownrigg. Linegar and Martin are already beaten. Squires and Brownrigg are invincible.

## NOTICE!

It is notified for the information of all concerned that all claims for SEPARATION ALLOWANCE on account of men of the Royal Naval Reserve (Nfld.), the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, or the Newfoundland Forestry Corps should be filed at the Department of Militia on or before 31st March, 1920, and no claims received after that date will be considered. All dependents of Naval Reservists and Soldiers who have not already claimed this allowance should apply to The Paymaster, Department of Militia, St. John's, for an application form in order to make claim at once. It should be borne in mind that the claim is admissible only if the Naval Reservist is the sole or main support of the claimant.

W. F. RENDELL  
Lieut. Colonel,  
Chief Staff Officer,  
Dept. of Militia.

## THE WAR MEMORIAL

Resolutions Adopted By Patriotic Association

The adjourned meeting of the Patriotic Association of Newfoundland was held last night in the Board of Trade Rooms for the purpose of receiving the report of the War Memorial and G. W. V. A. Committees as to a War Memorial. His Excellency the Governor who presided, read the resolutions which had been presented by Dr. Robinson, co-ordinating officer of the committees at the previous meeting and which were considered at length, His Excellency, Sir W. F. Lloyd, Dr. Robinson, Dr. Blackall, Rev. Dr. Curtis, Dr. Burke, Lt. Col. Bernard, Major Gosling, Judge Morris, Messrs. K. Blair, H. Mitchell, E. A. Bowring and H. R. Brookes taking part in the discussion. The resolutions, on motion of Mayor Gosling, seconded by Mr. K. Blair, were adopted, after some amendments, in the following form:

RESOLVED: (1) That the War Memorial shall take the form of a Memorial Monument to be erected in the Capital which shall be a replica of those about to be erected on the battlefields with the addition of:

(a) Suitable Bronze Tablets, bearing the names of all Soldiers and Sailors who have served with the Royal Newfoundland Regiment or Naval Reserve, and have given their lives for the Empire.

(b) Statuary representing the various types of the fighting forces supplied by Newfoundland.

(2) That the Government be requested to erect, equip and maintain a Memorial Building, which shall comprise Normal School, a Technical School and a Memorial Hall in which inter alia the names of all those from Newfoundland who served in the forces of the Empire or its Allies shall be recorded and preserved; and that all the moneys left from the public subscription, after defraying the full cost of the Memorial Monument shall be devoted towards the erection or improvement of such building.

(3) That a committee of the Patriotic Association be appointed to secure the complete record of all Newfoundlanders who have served in other forces of the Empire or of its Allies; and that the names of all such who have given their lives for the Cause shall also be recorded on suitable tablets, either on the Memorial Monument or in the Memorial Hall or in some conspicuous and central place to be decided hereafter.

His Excellency was empowered to appoint a committee who will deal with the resolutions and report at a meeting at an early date.

At the opening of the meeting Sir Joseph Outerbridge, on behalf of the widow, mother, himself and other relatives of the Hon. John Harvey warmly thanked the Association for its expression of condolences on his death and its high appreciation of his services which would be always treasured by all.

The meeting closed at 10.30.

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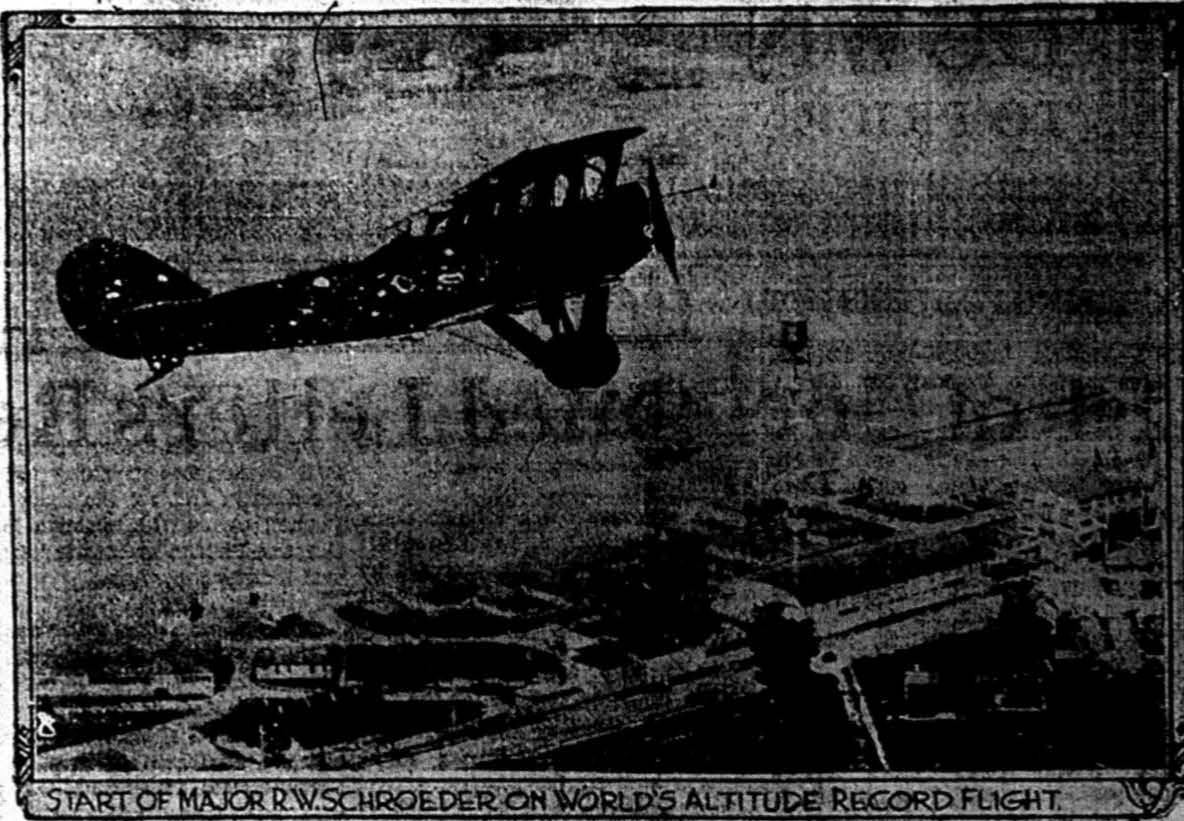
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An ordinary snail travels at an average speed of one mile in fourteen days.

In two years the cost of window-leaving at the Guildhall has risen from £21 to £160.

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A French airman at Madrid recently looped the loop 624 times in a flight of 2 hrs., 49 min., 9 sec.

Mr. D. Minty, a Bath postman, who has retired after forty-six years' service, delivered 4,118,000 letters.

One home in every two in the rural districts of Ontario has a telephone, and about one farm out of every four has a motor-car.

Involuntary stops made by motor-buses on the London streets during the last twelve months work out at one for every 10,000 miles run.

The number of automatic ticket machines in use on the London Underground Railways is over 130. During the last twelve months 42,000,000 tickets were issued from them.

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### WEDDING BELLS

### Lady Astor is Queen of the House Arena

#### WHEATON—WHEATON

On Saturday, Dec. 13th, a very pretty wedding took place in the Methodist Church here when R. N. R. Lionel Wheaton led to the altar Miss Jennie Wheaton (both from this place). The bride looked charming in a dress of navy blue silk crepe-de-chene and picture hat to match; the bridesmaids being Miss Annie S. Bursey (Meth. teacher), attired in blue silk, and Miss Bertha Hancock. The bridesmaids were Mr. Simon Wheaton, who acted as best man, and Mr. George Wheaton, brothers of the bride. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. S. J. Hillier, who also helped to make the evening a successful as well as an enjoyable one.

Volleys of musketry resounded as the bridal party wended their way to the home of the bride's brother, where a sumptuous tea was served and many friends were present, including friends from Carmanville.

The bride was the recipient of many valuable presents, including a piece of gold from her brother, Mr. Simon Wheaton. After tea was over and some hours of enjoyment spent, the many friends returned home, having spent a very enjoyable evening. All join with me in wishing them many happy years of wedded life.

#### WELL WISHER, AS WELL AS ONE OF THE GUESTS

Fredericton, Dec. 22, 1919. W

#### HANCOCK—WHEATON

On Tuesday, Dec. 16th, Fredericton was the scene of another pretty wedding when Miss Bertha Hancock and Mr. George Wheaton were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. The bride entered the church leaning on the arm of the groom's brother. The bride looked charming in a dress of navy blue silk crepe de chene and hat to match. The bridesmaids were Miss A. S. Bursey (M. T.) and Miss Fannie Wheaton, sister of the groom. The groomsmen were Mr. Simon Wheaton, brother of the groom, and R. N. R. Lionel Wheaton, brother-in-law. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. J. Hillier, after which the wedding party wended their way to the home of the groom's father, where guests, in

Cove. After tea was over people enjoyed themselves in games, etc. Fredericton will be proud to own such an amiable couple, as both bride and groom were always willing to do their part. We all wish them many years of happiness and prosperity. Very truly,

A. S. B.

CORRESPONDENT,

Fredericton, Dec. 22, 1919. W

An Arabian Prince was given a Royal welcome in Dublin. He visited Vice-Regal Lodge, where he lunched

(Special to The Standard)

LONDON, Dec. 13.—Lady Astor is in her element in the House of Commons. She is queen of the arena. The members are falling over each other all the time, not merely to fulfill but to anticipate her slightest wish. She has had more information volunteered to her as to what she ought and ought not to do by members of all parties than any preceding novice.

It is claimed that she fulfilled, in a way, the prediction that she would make a speech on the night of her introduction to the House. The debate was on the premium bonds bill, and when a member opposing, the scheme said workmen would subscribe for the premium bonds only by taking it out of their wives' house-keeping money, Lady Astor pointedly said, hear, hear."

Eventually she gave her first vote against the premium bonds, although Horatio Bottomley, their proposer, personally canvassed her in their favor.

So far Lady Astor has not been seen in the smoking room, but holds a little court every afternoon in the tea room and uses the library for her correspondence. She has entertained company at dinner at the House, most of her guests members, with a very thin sprinkling of women-folk. Kindly and complimentary as is all the fuss that is being made about her, she does not relish it, as she wishes above everything to be on the same footing as everybody else—not to be treated as an exotic.

It certain plans had not miscarried, Lady Astor's sensational entry into the House of Commons would have been spoiled by a dreadful anticlimax. It happened that on the day she took the oath Countess Markievicz, the Sinn Fein member for the College Division of Dublin, was in London, and certain of her friends went in search of her to get her to present herself at the bar of the House and take her seat on that same day. Having been returned a

head of Lady Astor, the Countess taken precedence in going to the table and there would have been terrific confusion, indeed, horror.

It happened that Countess Markievicz had left for Manchester early in the afternoon, so she could not be found. The purpose was that Countess Markievicz should advance to the table, refuse to take the oath of allegiance, but make a speech instead. The sight of a woman member being dragged down the floor by attendants instead of advancing up it amid the gallant salutations of the House

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\$8.00, \$9.50, up to \$17.00.

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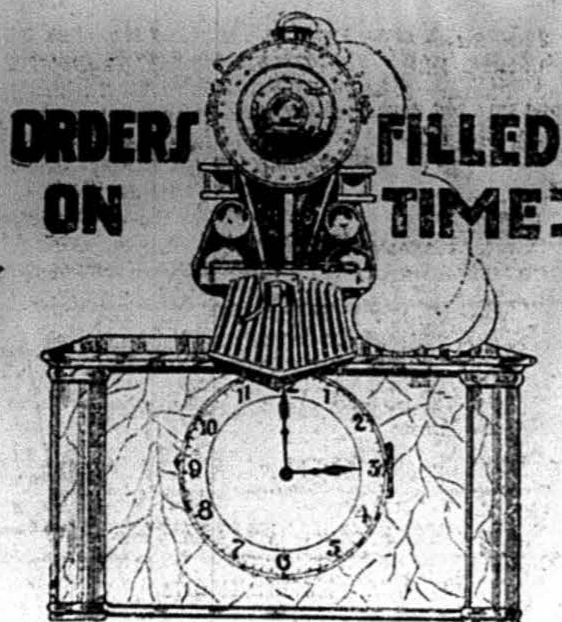
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## SYNOD HALL RE-OPENS

Civil Re-Establishment School Re-summed Classes.

The Educational Classes of the Civil Re-Establishment School resumed their sessions Tuesday morning at the Synod Hall. 163 students are now on the roll; and that number will be increased during the week.

The Vocational Officer, Dr. W. W. Blackall, made a brief tour of inspection Tuesday morning, and addressed the students briefly on behalf of the Committee, wishing them a Happy New Year, and emphasizing the points which tend to make the year successful and prosperous. He paid a tribute to the memory of Hon. John Harvey, whom he said had occupied a high position in the list of educational enthusiasts in this Dominion. The cause of education had always a warm spot in the heart of the deceased, and a great loss had been sustained by his passing. As a mark of respect to a distinguished townsman, all the students desirous of attending the Memorial Service at the Cathedral were given the opportunity of doing so, and the school closed from 11 a.m. to 12.30.

## BEAUTIFUL WORK OF ART

In the show room windows of Muir's Marble Works, Water Street there is at present on exhibition a beautiful marble statue of the Sacred Heart of Jesus which will be erected at Placentia as a monument to the men of that place who made the supreme sacrifice in the great war. It was recently imported from Italy, is life size, and is well worth seeing. The monument will be erected by Muir's in the spring. Two beautiful tablets to the memory of soldiers of Waterloo, T.B. were also executed at the Works.

## WEEK OF PRAYER

Thursday—St. Andrew's: subject, "The Home and the School"; speaker Rev. W. B. Bugden.

Friday—Subject, "Nations and their Rulers," Wesley Church, Rev. T. B. Darby; Cochrane Street, Rev. Gordon Dickie.

## NOTICE!

Mr. Felix Bransfield, proprietor of the Rosebud Optical Parlor of this town has moved to his home at Carbonear, where he will conduct his optical and dry goods business as usual. Outport customers all over the country can rely on the usual courtesy and satisfaction as in the past. Mail orders get prompt attention. Glasses sent by parcel post on request, prices right, perfect fitting and satisfaction guaranteed. Cables for comfort; all first class work. F. BRANSFIELD, Optical, Carbonear.

## BUSINESS CHANCES

MILLIONS are suffering with Rheumatism. Most important discovery of the age. A herb that actually drives the most stubborn case of Rheumatism entirely out of the system. People write us and say they are so founded at the results, especially on the kidneys. Just this, the money making possibilities. Representative wanted. \$1125 pound, stipend, 16 pounds \$5 express paid. Abdominal Herb Co., Venice, California.

## HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Historical Society meets at the C. H. E. Rooms, Militia Building, on Thursday, 8th inst., at 8 p.m.

Mr. W. A. Munn will read a paper on "The Pilgrim Fathers."

WARWICK SMITH, jr72i Recording Secretary.

## SUPREME COURT

(Criminal term.)

The following Grand Jury is sworn in: Ronald Morris, foreman; E. W. Taylor, Joseph Sellars, J. J. Mulcahey, Augustus Wadden, John Munn, Matthew Butler, A. Woodbridge, John Main, Ellis Watson, Edwin LeMessurier, M. S. Martin, Geo. J. Hayward, A. P. Hayward, Mattew McGittigan, Sydney Bursell, George Press, John Jardine, Chas. Byrne, Patrick Maher, John J. Rossiter.

The King vs. Mary Howell.  
The Chief Justice addressed the Grand Jury on a bill of indictment for bigamy.

Royal Trust Co. vs. St. George's Lumber Co.

J. J. McGrath, B.L., moves for judgment.

A. E. Hickman Co., Ltd., appellant, vs. J. Jarvis & Co. & Mr. Bradley, for appellant, moves for leave to appeal to His Majesty's Privy Council. Mr. Emerson does not object. The matter is referred to the Registrar of the Court to fix the bonds.

In the matter of the winding up of Willard & Co., Ltd.

Mr. C. E. Hunt moves for the winding up of the business under the supervision of the court. The order is granted, and Howard J. McDougall, a chartered accountant, is appointed liquidator.

In the matter of the application of Smith & Shipman for a writ of mandamus directed to the Minister of Finance and Customs re the exportation of codfish; the writ of mandamus is granted. In a similar application for a writ directed to the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, no order was made, the court not considering it necessary.

We understand that the Attorney General will ask leave to appeal to the Privy Council against this decision at the earliest opportunity.

## C.C.C. OLD COMRADES

The C.C.C. Old Comrades began the task last night of putting their club rooms in order, which they hope to have ready for the convenience of the members by the end of the present week. There was a goodly attendance of members, and considerable work was accomplished. To-night at seven thirty o'clock any member who has no other engagement and particularly a couple of painters and carpenters, are asked to attend and bring along their kits when plenty of work will be found for them. The Committee are devoting a great deal of time to make the Old Comrades a big institution, and it is hoped that every member will do his part. Up to last night nearly 200 members had been enrolled.

## HAVE FIRST TRY-OUT

The Terra Nova hockey team had their first try-out at the Prince's Rink last night at 10.20. The players had a rattling good practice under the management of "Gus" Herder.

Last year's "champs" can be predicted as strong contenders for the silverware again judging by the fine showing. "Bob" Stick after an absence of five years, showed up well and did not appear to have lost any of his old time form. "Bob" played with the Crescents before the war and has the honor of being one of that team when they won the championship six years.

The players who figured in the practice last night were: Gus Herder, J. Tobin, R. Stick, Ralph Herder, C. Trapnell, Ralph Stick, J. Canning, J. Rawlins, H. Coultas, H. Mews, and three new recruits, W. Gosse, Chafe and Woods.

The St. Bon's go on at 6.30 p.m. this evening. The Saints follow at 10 o'clock.

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## CURLING FIXTURES 1920

1—Victoria Trophy—Inter-division, Blue vs. White, Tuesday, Jan. 13.

2—Bonavista Trophy—Inter-division, Green vs. Red, Thursday, Jan. 15.

3—H. D. Reid—Points, open to all, Taylor Medal—Points, curler's two years and under, Tuesday, Jan. 20.

4—Greiner Cup—Inter-division, Blue vs. Green, Friday, Jan. 23.

5—F. W. Hayward's Prizes—Open to all, Monday, Jan. 26.

6—Jubilee Medal—Points, open to all, Tuesday, Jan. 27.

7—Buchanan Cup—Inter-division, Red vs. White, Friday, Jan. 30.

8—Cowan Medal—Points, open to all, Wright Medal—Points, curlers two years and under, Tuesday, Feb. 3.

9—R. G. Reid's Trophy—Natives vs. All-Comers, Thursday, Feb. 5.

10—A. Macpherson's Prizes—Points inter-division, open to all, Tuesday, Feb. 10.

11—T. and A. K. Cup—Inter-division, White vs. Green, Thursday, Feb. 12th.

12—Bennett Shield—Inter-division, Red vs. Blue, Tuesday, Feb. 17.

13—Curlers' Day (whole holiday)—Challenge Match, Ladies' Club vs. Men's Club, Wednesday, Feb. 18.

NOTE—The inter-division matches are all to be played each evening, in two sessions of 10 heads each, beginning at 7 o'clock.

"Captains of Divisions" Prize to the team with greatest number of heads in an inter-division match.

THE "GLENCOE'S" PASSENGERS

The s.s. Glencoe arrived at Port aux Basques at 3.40 a.m. today, bringing Mesdames H. Asmus, L. Sheppard, J. Stone and Mr. F. Hillier.

## CODFISH REPORTS

A late report to the Board of Trade states that codfish is fairly plentiful between Rose Blanche and Harbor Le Cou, and the catch to date is 3492 qts. The dorles and skiffs, of which 53 are fishing, secured from 3 to 4 qts. daily but the boisterous weather prevents the setting of much gear. Frozen squid is being used as bait.

## RECOVERY OF MISSING MAN

The remains of Abraham Cox, whose body was found in the harbor on Saturday, will be buried at Fairview today at 2 p.m. It will be recalled that the relatives of the unfortunate man instituted enquiries regarding his whereabouts nearly a month ago and wired to Robert C. Clowry at Newfoundland. The deceased was employed on the Canadian Government steamer Lady Laurier.

## LOCAL ITEMS

The shore train which left Carbonear at 7.40 Tuesday morning and was impeded by snow drifts at Avondale, arrived here at 4 p.m. yesterday.

The express which left Port aux Basques Friday last, left Clarendville at 11 o'clock last night, preceded by a rotary plow, and if all goes well should arrive here this afternoon.

The C. L. B. Old Comrades Association will meet tonight for the discussion of important business connected with the organization.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Historical Society tonight, Mr. W. A. Munn will read a paper on "The Pilgrim Fathers."

The entertainment and concert of the pupils of the Presentation Convent, St. Patrick's, was repeated last night and drew another overflowing audience. A patinee will be given this afternoon and should be largely attended.

The quarterly meeting of the Girls' Friendly Society will be held in the Synod Building tonight. A large attendance is hoped for as the Rev. Canon Jeeves will deliver an address.

The two expresses which left here respectively on Saturday and Sunday last, doubled up at Bishop's Falls and after much trouble with snow drifts arrived at Port aux Basques at 5 p.m. yesterday.

## PILES

Do not suffer another day with itching, bleeding, or protruding piles. No surgical operation required. Dr. Chase's Ointment will relieve you at once, and as certainly cure you, etc. a box: all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Sample box free if you mention this paper and enclose 2c. stamp to pay postage.

## KYLE BRINGS MAIL HERE.

The s.s. Kyle which left Humbermouth yesterday for North should leave here again to-night and will come here direct with mails and passengers. She should leave here on the return to Sydney about noon on Saturday.

## S. U. F. INSTALLATION.

St. John's Lodge, S.U.F. No. 6, had an installation ceremony last night with a large attendance of members. The Grand Master, Mr. J. Curnew, assisted by members of the Grand Lodge, performed the installation ceremony and the following officers took their positions for the coming term:

W. M.—R. LeDrew.  
C. O.—A. Rendell.  
S. O.—Ed. Spurrell.  
Purser—E. Colton.  
Secretary—F. LeGrow.  
Chaplain—S. Gardiner.  
L. O.—W. Duffin.  
Q. M.—H. Rodgers.

## ALONG THE RAILWAY

The express with the Glencoe's passengers is due here to-night.

An express left for Port aux Basque at 1 p.m. to-day with mails and passengers and will make foreign connections.

The rotary snow plow left Arnold's Cove at 10.15 a.m. to-day coming down to Placentia Junction to clear the snow remaining there. The road is now practically clear to the Junction from this point, and from Arnold's Cove to Bishop's Falls, while the main line will be opened this afternoon.

The express which left Port aux Basque Saturday is due here to-night.

The Placentia, Heart's Content and Bonavista Branches are now open and it is hoped to have the Trepassay Branch in order in a day or so.

No one really understands how to manage a man except a splinter.

## THE GRAFTERS

CAN'T WIN  
IT IS TO LAUGH

Jim MacDonnell says Prime Minister Squires has no policy to offer the country and yet the same MacDonnell secured his election in St. George's District by boosting the Liberal Reform programme.

There is more than one "wrecker" in the Cashin-Tory Party.—Ask Billy?

Abraham Kean is taking his licking in St. Barbe District very badly. Too bad the intelligent electors of St. Barbe treated this conceited Tory with "such ingratitude."

Kean though because he was captain of a coastal steamer and had run her on the rocks occasionally, he would be elected sure. But Scammell trimmed him.

The intelligent electors of St. John's West are laughing up their sleeves at the speeches of the man who barely saved his nomination fee in Liberal St. Barbe.

Messrs. Bill Ellis, Phil Moore, Jesse Whiteway and sundry others are missing a lot those days. No wonder the grafters want to get back.

The grafters can't bluff the labourers of St. John's West who designate Linagar a traitor to Labour and who know that the new Liberal Reform Government will do for labour what the Cashin-Crosbie combination refused to do in all their years of office.

The Grafters are down and out.

St. John's West will not be in opposition. That's why they will elect Squires and Brownrigg.

## SMALLPOX REPORTED

A message from Dr. Vivian Appleton, of Forteau, to the Health Department yesterday, reports one case of smallpox of a mild type had developed there. Dr. Chisholm also reported one case at Topsail and one at the Gullies, near Kelligrews.

ROPER & THOMPSON'S, (noon)—Bar 30.16; Ther. 30.

## OBITUARY

MISS LUCY MEANEY.

At Avondale on last Saturday afternoon there passed away peacefully to her eternal reward Lucy, youngest daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Meaney and the late Michael Meaney at the age of seventeen and a half years.

For three months before her death she had been failing day by day, but it was only for the last four days that her illness took such an unfavourable turn as to cause her relatives to apprehend a separation from their loved one.

Knowing that her earthly existence was coming to an end, she welcomed the approach of death with beautiful christian anticipation of the heavenly happiness awaiting her soul in the mansions of the blessed.

The deceased young lady was of a most religious disposition and was not attracted by the pleasures that many young people find amusement in. Whenever she felt that her mother could dispense with her in the home her great delight was to visit the older neighbours and chat with them, or read for their entertainment.

She leaves to mourn a widowed mother, three brothers and three sisters, of whom one sister (married) resides in Boston, and one brother in Sydney, another brother is Mr. Thomas Meaney, mechanic at Silverlock's garage.

Death has caused a wide breach in the family circle of late; a little over a year ago, the father, one brother, and one sister, died within a few months.

The deceased young lady was a cousin of Mr. John T. Meaney, and a niece of Mr. Michael J. James, of this city. The Advocate extends sympathy to the sorrowing mother and family.

## MRS. FRANCIS COADY

It is with sincere regret we note today the passing of an esteemed resident of St. John's in the person of Mrs. Francis Coady, widow of the late Francis Coady, shoemaker, and who was for several years caretaker of the General Post Office. Mrs. Coady, who had attained her 65th year, died yesterday afternoon after an illness of some duration. There are left to mourn her two sons, Mr. Wm. Coady of the General Post Office, Capt. Fred Coady, now commanding a ship out of New York, and one daughter, Mrs. James Austin, residing here. The funeral of the deceased will take place at 2.30 p.m. tomorrow from 12 Dunford Street.

## REPORTED DISABLED

The Furness Withy Co. received word yesterday morning that the S.S. Ponghekepsle was 100 miles off this port disabled. She is owned by the United States Shipping Board and bound from New York to Southampton. Nothing further had been reported from her up to last night.

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Dec. 31, 1919.

**FOR SALE — At Bay de Verde**—4 Codtraps with moorings, complete; 1 Motor Boat, new 7 H.P. Bridgeport Engine; One large stage, can salt 2000 qts. fish, another salt store attached; One large Dwelling House in good condition, with large garden. One large shop and office, large provision store, two story high. Part large fish store with beam barrels, etc. Flake room for over 100 qts. fish. Part large oil factory with puncheons, etc. Lot spare land fenced. No reasonable offer refused as owner anxious sell to reside elsewhere. Apply at this OFFICE.

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A General purpose horse; a bargain if purchased at once. Apply at this Office.

## WANTED — One Assistant

Cook (female) two housemaid waitresses, one kitchen maid and one dining room maid for Western Union Staff House at Heart's Content. For terms apply to the Superintendent Western Union Telegraph Co., Heart's Content.—Jan5.31

## FOUND — On train, New Year's Eve, pocket book, containing

cheque on Bank of Montreal, St. John's, also discharge papers. Apply General Passenger Agent, Reid Newfoundland Co.—Jan5

## FOR SALE: — Motor Boat,

26 feet over all, practically new, with five horse power Hubbard engine installed. Dandy for hook and line fishing. Selling at a bargain. For further particulars apply to HEDER LEDEW, Cupids, Conception Bay.

## FOR SALE:—One fine general

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